

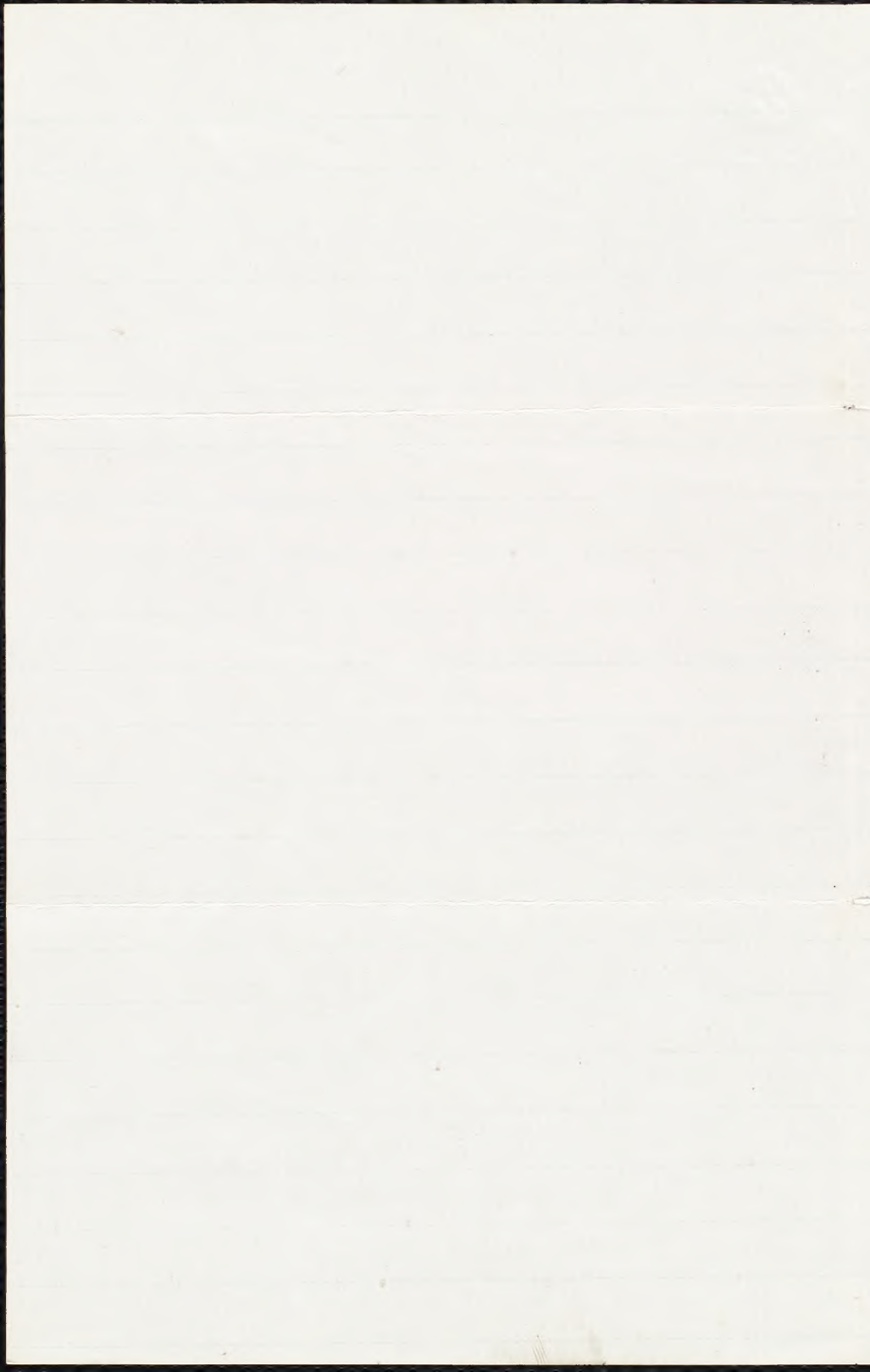
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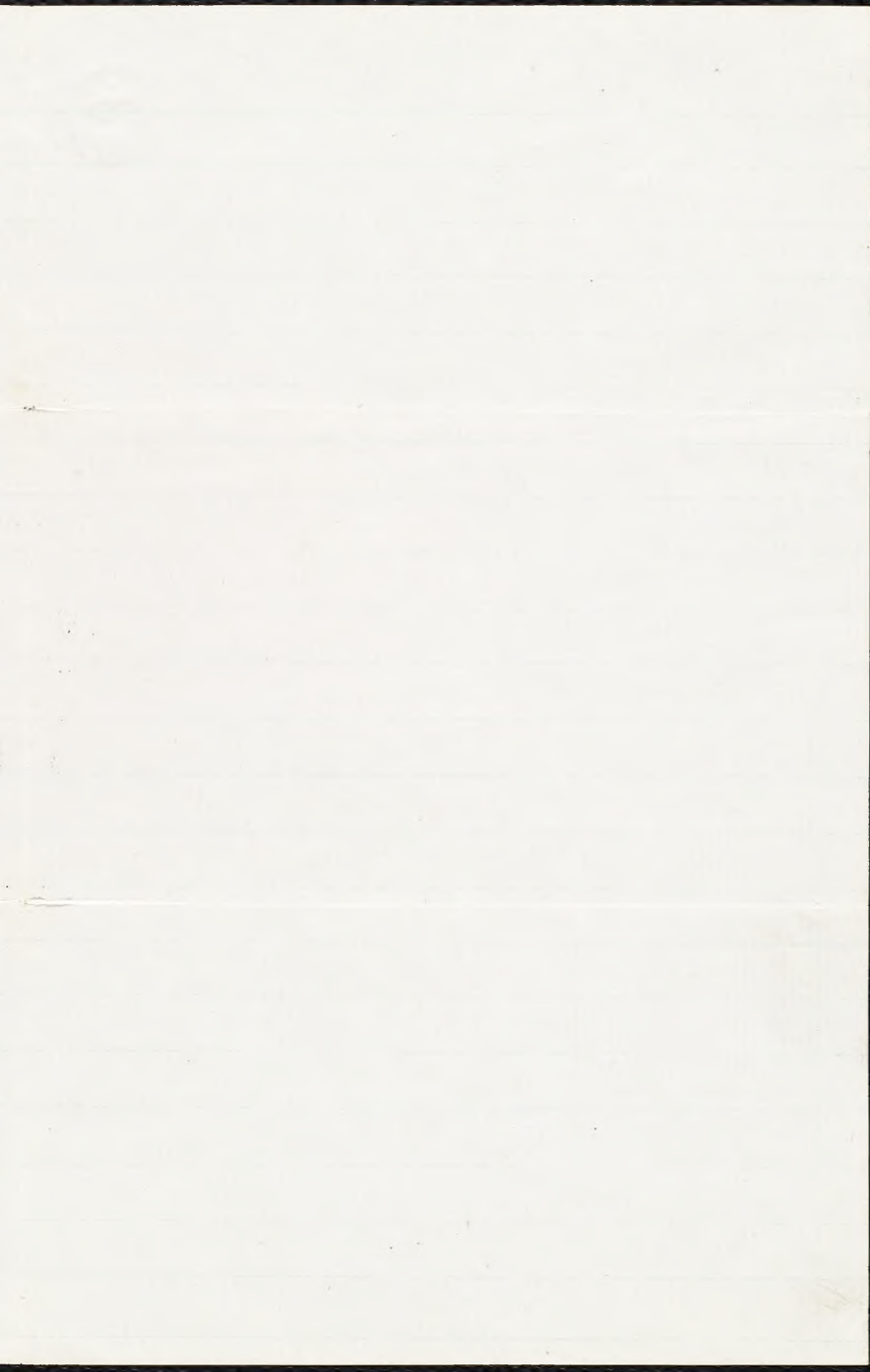
Dear friend Oliver Johnson:

I would gladly attend the yearly meeting of progression friends at Longwood to which you kindly invite me. I desire to attend the meeting as with a view to impart them to recision. The friends who meet there from year to year to utter their highest convictions of truth and duty have little need of any thought or inspiration from me - but I have much need of help from them - and I am sure that I should much enjoy the meeting - but I cannot attend. Duties nearer home completely occupy my time and means for the present. Please accept my thanks for your kind invitation - and my earnest and best wishes for a happy and profitable meeting -"

Your friend -

M. B. Douglass -





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